

**SEC. WOODRING
OPPOSES LIMIT
ON AIRPLANES****Had Urged Removal
of Limitations by
Committee****ATTACK IS MADE
ON BUND MEET****Prolonged Applause
Greets Denunciation
of American Nazis
By Martin of Colo.**

Washington, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Secretary of War Woodring has urged the Senate Military committee, it was disclosed today, to take the limitation off the number of airplanes that might be required by the army under the administration's defense program.

Writing to Chairman Sheppard (D-Tex.) Woodring noted that the army would be limited to 6,000 planes under the bill as it passed the House.

Meanwhile the House, pausing briefly before resuming consideration of the \$53,800,000 naval air base program, heard participants in the recent German-American Bund meeting in New York denounced as "traitors" to the United States.

Rep. Martin (D-Col.) described the Madison Square Garden meeting as a "mass demonstration of aliens, many of them wearing the uniform of a foreign dictator, the enemy of everything that George Washington stood for and America typifies."

"God save America from Nazi Christianity," the white-haired Coloradoan shouted.

Prolonged applause greeted his remarks at several points.

Turning to the naval air base bill, the House heard Rep. Taber (R-N.Y.) describe as "useless and insane" one section of it proposing a \$5,000,000 harbor development at the Pacific island of Guam.

Asserting that the Guam improvement would require two or three years, he said it should not be included in a program calling for naval expansion to meet an immediate emergency.

The House arranged to devote all of today to general consideration of the 11-air base program and to vote tomorrow on the question of taking the Guam item out of the bill.

Washington's farewell address was read in the Senate by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) and in the House by Rep. Landham (D-Tex.)

Rejecting numerous pleas for economy, the Senate passed the \$1,898,000,000 independent offices appropriation bill carrying funds for nearly 40 agencies and sent it back to the House.

**Mayor Of Wallace
Shot Accidentally**

Kinston, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Mayor Aubrey Harrell, 52, of Wallace, underwent an operation at a hospital here today for removal of a pistol bullet from his head. He was given an even chance to recover.

At the hospital Harrell was quoted as saying he shot himself accidentally while dressing at his home in Wallace this morning.

His pistol fell as he was placing it in his pocket, he was quoted as saying, and it discharged as it struck the floor. The bullet, which entered just back of his right ear, lodged in the back of his head.

Harrell was conscious when brought here and placed on the operating table.

**Mission To Be Begun
At 7:45 P.M. Tonight**

Beginning this evening at 7:45 Rev. Fred W. Helfer of the Hiram College Christian church, Hiram College, Ohio, will begin a ten-day preaching mission in the Eighth Street Christian Church. The service will be preceded by a devotion at meeting in which friends of the altar and others who wish to may prepare themselves for the evening worship program.

Mr. Helfer, who has visited in Greenville on former occasions and who three years ago conducted a similar mission, is regarded as a penetrating thinker with a forceful but quiet manner. His ability plus his affable qualities have won for him already a host of friends in Greenville who will welcome an opportunity to think through some of their personal and social problems with him.

Having served 2 college churches in recent years, Mr. Helfer has won much of his respect through sensible discussions of religious and sociological problems. His approach to such problems has proved effective largely because of his insight into human nature and his knowledge of world situations.

The general theme of the preaching mission is "God's Peace and (Continued on page six)

**Four Are Killed
As Tornado Hits
In Bertie County****Killed in Crash**

Caught aloft by sudden, heavy fog, two naval fliers from the training station at Pensacola, Fla., plunged to their deaths, six leaped to safety in their parachutes, four managed to make safe landings. One of those killed in the night crash of his plane was Lieut. N. M. Ostergren (above), 26, of Pensacola; the other was Lieut. G. F. Presser, Brazilian naval officer receiving training at the station. Lieut. Ostergren's plane was wrecked near McDavid, Fla.

**TO RECOGNIZE
FRANCO'S RULE****Unconditional Recognition by Britain Seen**

London, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Unconditional recognition of Nationalist General Franco's government in Spain within a "few days" was considered by the British cabinet today along with the Italian-French situation in northern Africa.

The Earl of Perth, British Ambassador to Rome, was instructed to report details of Italian troop movements in Libya, which adjoins French Tunisia. Italian Ambassador Grandi was understood to have been told before going to Rome this week that Great Britain hoped Italian territorial claims on France would assume a "reasonable tone."

A hint that British was committed to sending another large army to the continent in the event of war emerged from two days of defense debate in the House of Commons.

The cabinet meeting a day after it was disclosed that the British and French general staffs were "continuing" conversations, noted the apparent failure of French-British efforts to persuade the Nationalist regime at Burgos to abstain from reprisals against Spanish Republican leaders in return for recognition.

Regarding Spain, Prime Minister Chamberlain was said to have explained to the cabinet that Great Britain would have led guarantees that France would remove his foreign troops and promise clemency to the Republicans before recognizing the Nationalist.

Chamberlain was reported to have said, however, that Britain was preparing to recognize the Nationalists in conjunction with France as soon as possible, without condition.

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The officer said Hanford, awaiting trial on charges arising out of a gun battle at Burlington last December that left two officers and a bandit dead, was knocked out by jailer W. R. Roberts after three prisoners attacked him.

The other two escaped, but one was recaptured about two hours later.

Latta said Roberts was locking the prisoners in their cells soon after the supper hour last night when Hanford struck the jailer with a bottle, inflicting a cut that bled profusely, but not seriously hurting Roberts otherwise.

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**Red Cross Workers
Give Assistance To
Farmers****THREE-MILE PATH
SWEEP BY STORM****Nearly a Score of
Injured Persons Tax
Hospital Facilities in
Town of Windsor**

Windsor, N. C., Feb. 22.—(AP)—Red Cross workers gave assistance today to at least a dozen farmers who saw their homes demolished by a tornado that killed four persons and injured an undetermined number.

The tornado struck Green's crossroads near here late yesterday and cut a path nearly three miles long through that rural area. Robert Lawrence, 90, and J. F. Mizzele, farmers, were fatally injured in the storm. Police Chief John W. Brown of Colerain was killed when his car collided with a bus which highway patrolmen said stopped before a tree which had been blown over the highway.

Mrs. George Lawrence, 66, died at the Windsor Hospital early today of injuries received in the storm.

Dr. Garris, Bertie county health officer, said most of the approximately 25 persons brought to a hospital here and those who were removed to residences suffered minor injuries.

The State Highway Patrol, police and residents of this area were pressed into service last night. School buses, automobiles and trucks went from farm house to farm house in search of victims.

The town's only hospital soon was over-crowded. Emergency cots and supplies were brought from storage and police were stationed in front of the institution to keep a crowd estimated by sheriff's deputies at 500 from getting in the way.

Gladys Connor who escaped with minor injuries said she was standing in her home when suddenly it began shaking. Then, she said, the house seemed to crumble and fall about her.

A small boy was found several hundred yards from the debris that a few minutes before had been his home. Friends said they believed he escaped from the house and took to the field.

As the need for help, state highway patrolmen were moved into the zone. Red Cross workers from Norfolk, Va., arrived here and Sheriff F. M. Dunston were in several special deputies.

Hospital attaches said the injured included: Mrs. Mary Asbell and three of her children, Roger, nine, Melvin five and Roseline nine; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sanderlin. Betty (Continued on page six)

**Many City Auto Tags
Sold Following Drive**

The recent campaign against delinquent city auto tag purchases evidently brought good results, figures on the sale of the plates indicate.

The warning was issued on February 4, at which time 1,152 of the tags had been sold. Up to yesterday two weeks later, 1,407 had been sold.

Up to the same date a year ago 1,340 plates had been sold and a total of 1,488 were sold during 1937. City officials said "about 300" persons still had failed to purchase the \$1 tags, although 81 more were sold during all of 1937 than have been sold to date this year.

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Out for Commander**VOTE SUPPORT
FOR J. H. ROSE****Local Man Endorsed
For State Legion
Commander**

Junius H. Rose, charter member of Pitt County Post No. 39, American Legion, and prominent both in the local and state organizations for years, was officially launched on his campaign for state commander last night when the local post unanimously endorsed him for the position.

Mr. Rose is being opposed by two candidates who have already announced, Vic Johnson of Pittsboro and Wm. T. Dowd of Sanford.

The local candidate took an active part in the organization of the local post and was named its first adjutant. He served as post commander for two and one-half years, the longest term ever held by any local commander. During the time he headed the post the organization had the largest membership in its history and won a number of trophies for community service and in membership contests.

Mr. Rose was state vice commander for one year, was chairman of the legislative committee two years ago, chairman of the foreign relations committee a year ago and at the present time is chairman of the school awards committee and one of the seven commissioners of Boys State. He also is procurement officer for Boys State in Eastern North Carolina. He otherwise has taken an active part and interest in the state organization.

A large delegation from the local post is expected to attend the annual officers' conference in Shelby by March 5-6. The state convention will be held in Raleigh the latter part of June.

Mr. Rose, who has served for years as superintendent of the Greenville city schools, is recognized as one of the best school men in the state and also for his ability in dealing with youth. He has been active in the various civic and religious affairs of the city since he came here in 1919 shortly following his discharge from the army in March of that year.

While in the army Mr. Rose was first lieutenant in the field artillery, having entered service in July 1917.

**CITY GRANTED
NEW PROJECTS****WPA Funds Granted
For Drainage,
Walks, Alleys**

Authorization of a \$34,839 WPA project by the Federal Government yesterday to carry on a drainage, sidewalk and alley project here will greatly improve the conditions surrounding Greenville, Mayor M. K. Blount declared today.

The project will be completed with small cost to the city as labor will be the greatest expense and the WPA pays for all of this. In addition the agency will pay for part of the materials.

Although it was announced from Washington that it was a street project, Mayor Blount explained today it was chiefly a drainage program, on which the city officials have been working for some time.

It will, however, include 12,000 lineal feet of sidewalk. The project also will entail 1,320 lineal feet of alleys.

Other work included in the program follows: construction of a concrete box culvert; 5,300 lineal feet of storm sewer pipe, re-cleaning; 23,000 lineal feet of ditches.

On addition to providing the city of Greenville with much-needed improvements, it will provide work for a number of laborers this spring, it was pointed out.

**HOEY DEFENDS
BIG INCREASE
IN N. C. BUDGET****Declares Expanded
Services Demanding
Revenue****PLEA IS SOUNDED
FOR COOPERAT'N****Governor Calls For
Harmony Between
Business and Gov-
ernment of State**

Charlotte, Feb. 22.—(AP)—A joint session of the North Carolina Senate and House, meeting in the Charlotte armory-auditorium heard Governor Hoey promise today that the state's budget would be balanced, and express a belief that business should work together for the general welfare.

A guest of honor at the session was South Carolina's youthful Governor B. R. Maybank, who spoke briefly.

Governor Maybank complimented North Carolina for its "liberalism" and said the Carolinas had "gone along side by side for generations in a steady march to progress."

The joint session dissolved at 12:15 p. m. on motion of Senator Lumpkin of Franklin.

The Governor defended the rapid increase in the state's budget during the past eight years, saying the money "has not been extravagantly spent," then counseled "there can be no such thing as expanding public service and contracting tax levies."

There is a general feeling, Hoey said, that conditions do not warrant major changes in tax policies now, neither in the way of new levies nor general increases, therefore the budget may only partially meet the real needs of business agencies and institutions.

"When this General Assembly adjourns," the Governor stated emphatically, "we will have a balanced budget provided for the next biennium."

"I am happy to greet the splendid citizenship of Charlotte and Mecklenburg county on this memorable occasion," the Governor told the legislators and hundreds of visitors in the Armory. This is the first time the general assembly ever convened in Western North Carolina. It is appropriate that we come to the birthplace of the American revolution, where the first declaration of independence was made, to celebrate the birthday anniversary of the first president of the republic."

The nation, the Governor said, has become Government conscious. The legislature upon the arrival in the Queen City of Charlotte, participated in a parade to the county courthouse where formal sessions were held. Afterwards they were taken to the auditorium for speeches by North Carolina leaders and Governor Maybank of South Carolina.

On the well regulated farm December is a month for cutting fuelwood. Wise cutting improves any woodlot; it's like eating your cake and having it, too, foresters say.

**SCOUTS HEARD
BY CIVIC CLUB****Youths Relate What
They Find in Or-
ganization**

Junius Rose, Jr., of the Cub Pack Bill Lee Jr., of the Boy Scouts, and Ben Miller of the Sea Scout Ship "William Pitt" all appeared before the Rotary Club Monday night and told about what they found in Scouting in Greenville. Junius, said his Den met with its Den Chief—a Boy Scout—one afternoon a week at the home of one of the Cubs, and that all the Dens met for a Pack meeting once a month.

Bill Lee, Jr., said he liked Scouting because it had made him a good cook. Too, he said, he liked the camping at the cabin and the Camporees, in fact all of the scout program. Sea Scout Ben Miller told how Sea Scouting was a program for older scouts when they had grown to tire of the Scouting program designed for the younger twelve to fifteen year old scouts.

Assistant Executive George Thomas listed the Scoutmasters and Assistants as: L. A. Bryson and Sherman Parks of the Troop sponsored by the Methodist church; Sam Dees and Charles Cobb of the troop sponsored by the Eighth Street Christian church; Bancroft Moseley, Tommy Field, and Bob (Continued on page six)

**French-Italo Relations
Strained By Reports Of
Tunisian Frontier Clash****WANTS REPORT FROM
JOSEPHUS DANIELS**

Washington, Feb. 22.—(AP) Rep. Kennedy (D-N.Y.) today introduced a resolution to provide for the immediate return to the United States of Ambassador Josephus Daniels to report to Congress on conditions in Mexico.

The stocky New Yorker, who previously had demanded a congressional investigation of German activities in Mexico, introduced a resolution which stated "that it is the sense of the house of representatives that the President of the United States immediately recall the ambassador to Mexico, Josephus Daniels, home for the purpose of having him report directly to the proper committee of the House of Representatives concerning the repeated violation of American rights in Mexico."

Kennedy, who sought unsuccessfully to make public a report to the House by Secretary of State on Nazi activities in Mexico, accused the State Department of handling Mexican relations in an "inept manner."

"I believe it is time for Congress to have a direct report from Ambassador Daniels," he said in a statement issued after he introduced his recall resolution.

Kennedy declared that "the Mexican muddle must be cleaned up."

**Bids On River Channel
To Be Opened March 7****Work on Greenville
Waterway Expected
Begin April 1**

Representative Lindsay C. Warren today advised The Reflector that work on Tar river channel had been advertised and bids would be opened on March 7.

The congressman also stated that it is expected the project would be started on April 1 and completed about September 1.

All requirements of local cooperation in connection with the 12-foot channel from Washington in Hardee's creek have been complied with, Rep. Warren's letter stated.

The completion of this project will be the culmination of plans started a number of years ago, turned down twice by the federal government, reopened through the efforts of Congressman Warren and last year given final approval by the War Department engineers and the appropriation of more than \$300,000 was made by Congress.

The project provides for a 12-foot channel, 100 feet wide from Washington to Hardee's creek, about three miles below Greenville, where there will be a turning basin and docks to take care of water transportation.

The Norfolk Baltimore and Carolina Steamship line, operating to North Carolina points, plans to begin a regular schedule of operations to the new terminus as soon as the project is completed.

Plans call for erection of public docks at Hardee's creek by the city and county, and the State Highway Commission has indicated that it will build a hard-surface road from the present Greenville-Washington highway to the terminals.

**Negro Arrested Here
For Week-End Thefts**

Herbert Neal, Negro, is being held in the city jail on charges of breaking, entering and larceny, in connection with the theft of a radio, pistol and some coal from Joyner's coal yard Sunday night.

The Negro is alleged to have sold the radio and this gave the investigating officers their first clue. The radio was located yesterday morning and officers immediately began a search for Neal, who was taken in custody yesterday afternoon. Officers have not located the pistol as yet.

**Vessel Reported
Hit By Torpedo**

Chatham, Mass., Feb. 22.—(AP)—The torpedoing of a vessel believed to be of Dutch registry about 2,000 miles east of New York was reported today in a message received by the Radio Marine Corporation station here.

The message, received from the American freighter, Tulsa, said she had picked up an SOS from a ship giving the call letters PECC reporting she had been torpedoed and was sinking about 1,200 miles north-west of the African coast.

Naval headquarters at Boston said call letters beginning "P" usually were assigned to ships of Holland registry.

The ship gave her position as latitude 32.10 north, longitude 37.45 west, placing her about 550 miles southwest of the nearest Canary Island and 1,100 miles west of Madeira.

Her position was considerably to the south of the steamer lane fol-

**MORE THAN 80
LISTED KILLED****Incident Reported To
Have Occurred Fri-
day Not Denied by
French Foreign Of-
fice; Other Incidents
Reported In Recent
Weeks**

Paris, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Persistent reports of a clash between French and Italian troops on the Tunisian boundary, in which 84 were killed, brought strained French-Italian relations sharply to the foreground again today.

The reports were received in diplomatic as well as private quarters in Paris and came from Tunis.

The foreign office said it could not confirm them, but did not issue an immediate denial.

The clash was said to have occurred Friday when Italian troops penetrated French territory from Libya at a spot about 25 miles southeast of the first French fortified line around Ben Gardane.

French casualties were placed at four killed and Italians at 80 killed. The Italians were driven back into Libya, the report said.

Friday night French armaments suddenly were shifted to a fortified zone.

The French Mediterranean fleet had arrived at the Tunisian port of Bizerte the day before. A naval detachment was reported to have begun patrolling immediately along the Tunisian coast.

In recent weeks other border incidents had been reported, but none was confirmed officially.

Three weeks ago an Italian airplane was reported to have flown over Tunisian territory and to have been shot down by French anti-aircraft gunners.

There had also been round-ups of Italians in Tunisia culminating in the arrest Sunday of an Italian consulate employee.

**Student Union Body
Entertains Leader**

The Baptist Student Union of East Carolina Teachers College and the Memorial and Immanuel Baptist churches presented Miss Nan Morgan of Ruston La. to the students and faculty of the college and the leaders of the churches at an informal tea at the "X" Hut Tuesday afternoon from two to five-thirty o'clock.

Miss Morgan comes to Greenville to take up the work of Baptist Student Secretary. The office was formerly held by Miss Ann Downey who left on February 1. She will make her home at the Baptist Student Center.

Miss Morgan has been serving as Baptist Student Field Worker for the Education Department of the Louisiana Baptist State Convention since March 1938. She was graduated from Louisiana Polytechnic Institute and has worked toward the degree of Master of Arts at Louisiana State University. She has had wide experience not only in Baptist Student Union work, but has been working in the various departments of the church in her state.

Since coming to Greenville on Monday Miss Morgan has been delighted in meeting quite a number of people of the college and town who are from her state.

Weather Report**J. A. CLARK
(Always Observer)****TEMPERATURES**

High Yesterday 74
Low Yesterday 36
At 1:30 p. m. 44

**PRECIPITATION
(In Inches)**

For 24 hrs. ending 7 a. m. .. . 37
Total for month to date... 6.06

**BAROMETER
(Inches)**

7:30 last night 29.94
7:30 this morning 29.91

Prevailing Winds and Velocity

7:30 a. m. NW-12
1:30 p. m. NW-8

Social and Personal

John Hill Taylor of Farmville, was a business visitor in Greenville yesterday.

Ben Lang of Farmville, was here today.

Mrs. A. H. Critcher, Mrs. Gertrude Taylor, Mrs. L. B. McCormick and Gus Critcher who have been visiting in Danville, Va., will return today.

Mrs. Fred Knot and Mrs. Elizabeth Quinley Cummings of Kingston, were Greenville visitors yesterday.

Miss Gretchen Parker of Kingston, spent today in Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hobgood of Farmville, were here today.

S. G. Wilkerson and Louis Wilkerson have returned from Cincinnati, Ohio, where they purchased a new house for S. G. Wilkerson & Sons.

Miss Margaret Knowles of Mount Olive, who is teaching in Beaufort, and N. O. VanNortwick, Jr. of this city, have returned from Washington, where they attended a party given in honor of Miss Rena Pearle Hamilton.

Greensboro College Glee Club.

The Greensboro College Glee Club will give a concert in Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church Monday evening, March 6th, at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

Checker Tournament.

A Chinese checker tournament at the Woman's Club building, Thursday night, February 23, at 8 o'clock. Sponsored by Red Banks H. D. Club. Space reserved for children. Refreshments, prizes. Adm. 10c and 25c. Everybody come.—(Adv.)

World Day of Prayer.

Again attention of the women of Greenville is called to the World Day of Prayer service to be held in the Eighth Street Christian Church on Friday morning from 10:30 until noon. Careful preparation has been made and the value of this service depends now upon the individual response to this call to prayer.

Birth Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Parker of Maclefield, announce the birth of a son at Pitt General Hospital on Wednesday, February 22, 1939.

Mrs. Parker was formerly Miss Ella Fleming of Greenville.

Birth Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce H. Hunsucker announce the birth of a son, Royce Hulton, Jr., on Monday, February 20, 1939, in Pitt General Hospital.

Mrs. Simmons in Hospital.

Mrs. J. Lester Simmons of near Greenville, is ill in Johnston-Wills Hospital, Richmond, Va. She would appreciate hearing from all her friends who care to write.

Immanuel Mid-Week Service.

The regular mid-week service of the Immanuel Baptist Church will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Patrick will review the book "Mahatma Gandhi," by C. F. Andrews.

At 8:15 the Workers' Council of the Sunday school teachers and officers will meet.

To Attend Alumnae Meetings.

Miss Mary Brock, secretary of the Greensboro College Alumnae Association, leaves today for a ten-day trip in Eastern North Carolina where she will attend Greensboro College alumnae meetings for 14 different counties. Miss Brock will speak at these meetings, and help in the organization of several. As a part of the program for each meeting Miss Brock will take with her a college movie showing highlights at Greensboro College for the past three years. Thursday night she will be in attendance at the Pitt county chapter meeting in Greenville.

Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY

7:30 p. m.—The Presbyterian choir meets.

7:30 p. m.—Methodist choir meets.

10:30 p. m.—2:30 a. m.—Towne Club dance in high school gymnasium.

THURSDAY

7:00 p. m.—The Pitt County Chapter of the Greensboro College Alumnae Association meets with Mrs. P. P. Brooks, 407 Student street.

7:30 p. m.—Knights of Pythias will meet.

7:30 p. m.—Memorial Baptist choir meets.

8:00 p. m.—Meeting of Business and Professional Woman's Club in Sheppard Memorial Library.

8:00 p. m.—The T. E. L. Class of Memorial Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Berry Bostic.

8:00 p. m.—The Junior Philanthropy Class of the Methodist Church meets with Mrs. J. O. Morton on Maple street.

FRIDAY

6:30 p. m.—Kiwanis Club will meet.

Troop 30 To Meet.

We will have our Scout meeting Thursday night at 7:30. Everyone is urged to attend for we will talk about the camporee.

Dramatic Club Presents Plays.

The class in dramatics at the college last night, presenting two one-act plays in the Austin auditorium before a small group invited to attend. The plays were "The Playhouse," and "The Playhouse," and acted by student members of the group. Both plays were comedies.

The first, "The Advantages of Being Shy," directed by Miss Georgia Sugg, showed the experiences of a young woman who had started out in business by advertising herself as "adviser to shy young men."

The "shy" young man was played by Lindsay Whichard, Stokes. Misses Margaret Wilson, LaRue Weather and Mae Ellen Warren took the roles of girls attracted by his shyness, and Miss Mary Ellen Matthews was a society editor of the local paper.

Other members of the production staff were Misses Geraldine Harris, Greenville; Helen G. Gilliam, Iberia Roach and Hilda G. Batten, and Joe Smith, Greenville.

The second play was the farcial "Ann Comes to Her Senses," which tells how some elderly aunt ridiculed a spoiled young bride out of leaving her husband.

Miss Ruth V. Batten was the bride; Misses Ruth Creekmore, Emily Brendle and Ruth Frazelle were the aunts; Miss Gladys Johnson was an old friend; and Miss India Hill, the maid.

Harvey Deal, Greenville, was the director of this play.

His production staff included Misses Lucy Ann Barrow, Dorothy Hollar, Greenville; Lillian Parrish, Stella R. Spencer, Joyce Hill, and Lena M. Etheridge.

Every member of the class had some part in the evening's program.

BEST CHINA VALUES

IN EASTERN CAROLINA!

Best Jewelry Co.

Forty Years Ago Today

Items From
THE DAILY REFLECTOR
Wednesday, February 23, 1899

Emblems Of The Day

Jesse Speight was looking for a hatchet this morning to wear in his belt today. If he found the hatchet he was next going on a hunt for a cherry tree.

SNOW AND ICE

Are Colder Than These Items

Good time to plant spring adventures.

Sunshine and shadows have chased each other today.

And the penitentiary has gone Democratic; even, if the returns were late coming in.

The season draweth near when neighbors will be falling out over chickens and garden patches.

A. A. U. W. Meets.

The Greenville branch of the American Association of University Women held a dinner meeting Monday evening, Feb. 20, at the Proctor Hotel. Doctor Dorothy Snyder, the president, presided and welcomed visitors.

The program for the evening was in charge of the International Relations committee, of which Miss Lois Grigsby is chairman. She introduced the speaker of the evening, Miss Laura Rose, who discussed Russian life and customs, illustrating her lecture with maps and paintings illustrating the different modes of life among the various peoples of Russia.

The president called attention to the state meeting of the A.A.U.W., to be held in Winston-Salem April 28-29.

Dr. Snyder appointed a nominating committee consisting of Mrs. R. J. Slay, chairman; Mrs. Luther Herring, and Mrs. Ficklen Arthur, to prepare a slate to be presented at the next meeting.

Because of the date of the college spring holidays, the next meeting of the club will be held on March 24.

Speaks To College Assembly.

Clyde King, superintendent of Moore's Creek National Military Park, near Wilmington, spoke at assembly at the college yesterday.

Introduced by Miss Sallie Joyner Davis as a man who "works at digging out the history of the Battle of Moore's Creek Bridge," Mr. King talked about the national park service which exists to preserve and maintain for all people for all time the national parks. Under the National Park Service there are 27 national parks, 77 national monuments, three national historic parks, 11 national military parks and eight battlefield sites.

In 1872 said Mr. King, the first national park, Yellowstone Park, was created. By 1916 all national parks were under the Department of Interior, specifically under the National Park Service.

Mr. King spoke of how natural history could be traced through the canyons of the West, and how early American history could be followed through parks in St. Augustine, Fla., and remains of Spanish missions in the West.

He traced the history of the revolutionary war through national parks and monuments, mentioning Washington at White Plains, New York, Arnold at Saratoga, and in the South the battles of King's

Mountain, Cowpens, Guilford Court House, and Greene's campaign in which he did not win a single battle but won the whole campaign. At Moore's Creek, where he is now stationed, the North Carolina patriots under Richard Caswell broke the power of the Tories in North Carolina. The park service hopes to have a museum there before long which will tell the story of Moore's Creek in graphic detail.

In the Civil War the campaigns of the East and the West are commemorated by national parks.

Mr. King then spoke of other spots which have been put on the national park list—Fort McHenry, where Francis Scott Key wrote "The Star Spangled Banner;" Salem, Mass., where there is a monument in commemoration of the clipper-ships.

At all these historical parks are stationed trained historians, said the speaker, who have been put there for your benefit. They have made special study of the place where they are stationed and can show you where in the battlefield each regiment was. The adjoining museums help to relate the story through relics which represent the things found there.

National parks offer the opportunity of seeing America as it was and is. One's ability to see depends upon how much he knows before he goes. The guide can not give a visitor everything if he hasn't any information to start out with.

Mr. King advised the audience to see America first because nowhere in the world can there be found geysers like those in any of the six bases in Yellowstone National Park, canyons like the one in Colorado, nor like the Carlsbad.

"The best way to learn," said he, "is to keep your eyes and ears open and your mouth shut. Let those who know tell you. The guides are always willing to help you. Ask them and you will always receive a courteous answer. Don't pretend to know more than you do know; admit the little you do know and don't be afraid to ask questions."

"See America first!"

LITTLE THEATRE TO PRESENT PLAYS

The three one-act plays which are to be presented by the Greenville Little Theatre in the high school auditorium on Friday night will feature local talent, according to a statement by Miss Elizabeth Skinner, president of the organization.

The plays to be presented are "Charleston Detour," a comedy; "The Lampshade," a tragedy, and "He Ain't Done Right By Nell," an old fashioned melodrama. The cast of "Charleston Detour" includes Miss Moselle Jones, Charles Woodward, Miss Elizabeth Kasey, Bancroft Moseley and Miss Harriet Lloyd. "The Lampshade" will be enacted by Paul Fitzgerald, Mrs. W. L. Hall and Richard Walser, while the cast of the melodrama consists of Miss Annie Laurie Askew, Miss Mable Beaman, Mrs. Nina James Guy, Marshall Sakey, Charles Whedbee and Dr. James Hawes.

Programs of the Little Theatre are presented on a strictly non-profit basis and each of the three plays on the current program is directed by local people. "Charleston Detour," which was written by Mrs. E. T. Robeson of Greenville, is directed by Mrs. J. H. Rose, while "The Lampshade" is directed by Mrs. A. L. Dittmer, and "He Ain't Done Right By Nell" is directed by Richard Walser, who is connected with the Greenville city schools.

The performance is scheduled to start at 8:15 o'clock Friday night, February 24.

Bell Arthur News

The February meeting of the Arthur P. T. A. was held in honor of Founder's Day.

The president, Mrs. G. T. Tyson, presided over a short business meeting in which it was decided the P. T. A. would give a spring festival to finish raising enough money to purchase the state accredited list of books for the high school. We have enough money to get these books except about thirty-five dollars.

The P. T. A. also went on record to help the basketball teams in every way possible.

The building program sponsored by the P. T. A. is progressing just fine. Mr. Webster reported that he thought he would be using the new rooms in a few weeks.

Miss Edmondson's room gave the program and we were also honored by a delightful musical program by the Parker children's band from Walstonburg. They played several selections and showed excellent musical talent.

A Founder's Day collection was taken to be sent to the state organization to help carry on P. T. A. work in the state.

Winterville News

Mrs. R. L. McLawhorn spent Sunday in LaGrange and Seven Springs with Mrs. E. E. Eubanks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Evett of Aurora, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Manning.

Mrs. J. H. Mobley and Mrs. J. L. Rollins have returned from Pitt General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Whichard of Stokes, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Barnes.

Mrs. L. A. Barnes and son, Billie, have been ill for the past few days.

Mrs. L. A. Barnes spent Friday in Rocky Mount.

D. T. Cox spent Friday in Kingston.

Montgomery Abbott of Oak Ridge Military Academy, was home Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Stocks of Greenville, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Williams and daughter, and Mr. Sam Oglesby of Kinston, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Blanche Allen of Arthur, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mobley.

Mrs. Ada Pope is ill in Pitt General Hospital.

Speaker Accorded Regular Pounding

Raleigh, Feb. 22—Rising to a point of personal privilege, to speak "on the state of the nation in general, and Rockingham county in particular," Clarence Stone and Joe Garrett held the house of representatives in thrill for twenty minutes Monday night extolling the diversified agricultural and industrial excellence of their county.

When the pages got through carrying the gifts to the dais it looked like the living room of a country parsonage after an old fashion "pounding" of the preaching.

To prove that they weren't just

bragging, as each product was lauded a sample was sent forward to the speaker. These samples included cigarettes, she polish, bed sheets, bed spreads, blankets, garters, suspenders, chairs, underwear, axe handles, etc. Speaker Ward later publicly his appreciation for the gifts. Privately he indicated that if somebody wanted a good axe handle cheap he had one that he didn't expect to use.

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By GRACE ELLIOTT TAYLOR

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 Petronella, his courageous young sister.
 Tony, Lancelotti's agent, the man Petrel loves.

Yesterday, Rene buried the papers in the sand and the wrecked plane. Peter is too ill to get them. Amazed that Tony asked him, Petronella determines to do the job herself.

Chapter 31

Dangerous Mission

PETREL leant forward. "Where did it come down?" "Over there," said the driver. "In a moment we shall see the lanterns. There are two sentries guarding it. In case thieves take the instruments." Her eyes strained across the hillocks of sand. They went in waves, almost white-silver, in the moonlight, black in the shadows. The wind had shifted and fashioned the sand into the lines of its own movement, as it passed.

"Is it high, or in a hollow?" "They told me in Cairo, that he hit the bank of a rise. We should see the lanterns any time now." Suddenly her hands gripped the back of the driver's seat. "I can see the plane, but there are no lanterns," she told him, hoarsely.

Against the sand, she saw the silver of a wig, and a darkness which must be the wreckage of Rene's machine. Hassan stopped the car.

"Turn off the engine, and wait here. I will walk." Had the police or military guard not arrived yet? They stood still for a moment, listening, staring at the distant plane. There were two dark blot moving near it.

"There are two camels there. But the police would have lanterns. It is a signal that all is well," insisted Hassan. "You must go in the car. Perhaps there are Bedouins, or thieves. Who can tell? It is not too rough. I think I can drive there."

"No, they will see the car coming. Perhaps they have seen it already. I'm going to find out if there is anyone there or not. If there is—"

But her question stood unanswered. She gave a gasp of fear. She had distinctly seen the figure of a man detach itself from the plane and stand, looking towards them, listening. Now a second figure joined him. They were conferring together. The guards? Was her fear absurd? Had they, for some reason, decided against showing any lights. It was possible. But, since she came without escort, were not guards or thieves equally inconvenient? Why hadn't she thought of that before? They would never allow her to take papers found near the plane, without proper authority.

She turned to her driver. "Remember how I drove this evening, over the desert? Turn on your lights, and go towards the plane. Seem to see the guards, suddenly, and bear away in a circle, fast, back to the road. They will probably chase you. Will you do that? It will give me a chance to get what I want. I'll reach you farther down the road. Drive right away, with headlights. Creep back as near as you dare, without them."

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Murders

AS THE car swerved and bore away, they raised their arms, yelled, and ran after it. Petrel stopped abruptly, within a few yards of the tragically smashed machine, which she had seen in the sky such a short time ago. She stared, lying on the ground, near the stolidly munching camels, were two figures in uniform. One was gagged, and tied with rope. His dark eyes rolled sideways at her, caught the light of the moon. The other was neither bound, nor gagged. He lay, with a knife buried to its hilt in the stained jacket covering his back. It was a sight which terrified all thought of her task from her mind. She almost turned and ran for the road. But anger preserved her purpose for her. This was what Tony had sent Peter to find!

She looked after the murderers. They were still pursuing Hassan, who was driving slower than she liked, to encourage them. Even as she realized it, she heard two shots crack through the night.

She turned. There were only three boulders, thank heaven, anywhere near the plane. Instinct guided her. There could be no other explanation, she thought, with that part of her mind which was sick and hysterical with terror, for the cool, matter of fact way the other part of her brain was functioning. The plane had buried its nose and somersaulted. There

was the door to the reversed cockpit. It was swinging open. Scattered on the ground were split cushions, instruments, maps. She had interrupted a search of the wreckage. Rene could have crawled out. There! To that round headed rock. The others were too far away for a seriously injured man to reach them. Down on her hands and knees, she buried desperate hands in the sand. She sought. The sand was loose. Her heart leapt, in amazed triumph. She had them! She pulled out the small, black mackintosh case, for whose contents one, perhaps two men had died.

Standing, she kicked back the sand with her foot. A rifle lay at a little distance from the dead guard. She picked it up. She looked towards the lights of the car. She needed its refuge desperately. She ran, at an angle, towards the road. Hassan would be gone, unless she could reach him. A shot! She dropped flat. But they were not firing at her. Near the road she saw the car, headlights still burning, come to a slow standstill. Hassan was dead or wounded! But she was within two hundred yards. If only she could reach it. Petrel crouched, planning her own salvation. The car was her only hope. She must distract the two Egyptians, from dragging Hassan out, make them tear back to the plane. Pointing the heavy rifle skywards, she fired.

She heard shouts. Hassan's enemies turned, and ran back towards the plane. They passed so close to her, crouched behind a shelf of rock, that the sand displaced by their thudding feet fell rattling on her back. When the time came to run, would her legs refuse to move, as a part of this nightmare? But somehow, fear seemed to have little effect on her actions, tonight. The ruse could not have worked more simply, and successfully, had she been unafraid. Had she picked up this old rifle with real purpose, instead of a helpless clutching at any weapon of self-protection. Her breath coming in gasping sobs, Petrel reached the car. She ran to the far door. The shadow of the hood would hide her, making her a difficult target. She opened it. Hassan was lying slumped over the wheel, groaning.

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STRUGGLE OVER FLAG OUTSIDE BUND RALLY



Demonstrators and a mounted policeman here struggle over possession of an American flag outside the rally of the German-American bund at Madison Square Garden in New York. Some 1,500 policemen were on duty and prevented picketing of the gathering, but inside the Garden and out violence flared.

DENY ATTEMPT TIE CHAIRMEN

Rumored Committee Trying Bind Local Chairmen

Raleigh, Feb. 21—Persistent rumors that the organization of county Democratic chairmen, effected in Durham last week, was designed to give the State chairman more control over local activities, were vigorously denied today by two or three of those active in bringing the new organization.

The suggestion that the organization was formed for the purpose of either abolishing or retaining the absentee ballot provisions in the election law, were likewise hoisted at it. It was reiterated that the only purpose behind the statewide tie-up of county chairmen is to more closely co-ordinate their activities as integral units in the Democratic party.

However, it is known that a large number of the county chairmen are affiliates of the 1932 Fountain and the 1936 McDonald campaigns, and may be rated more accurately as anti-administration. The state chairman Major Gregg Cherry of Gastonia, was selected by the governor to succeed Justice Wallace Winborne when the latter was named to the Supreme court. It isn't in Gregg Cherry's philosophy to be head man in any organization which he cannot pretty near control.

So political observers around the capitol see in the newly formed statewide organization of county chairmen just a plan to bring them all more closely under the guiding hand of the state chairman and to forestall any semblance of "official" party support for any candidate for governor in 1940 who might be persons non grata to adherents of the administration.

be in no danger of stepping on nails or sticks or bits of glass. After the earth has been sifted it is mixed with sand to give it the proper consistency. All this is "trouping" in five huge wooden boxes from city to city.

As for the turnips, twenty are eaten a performance requiring an average of thirty-five pounds a week. The management estimates that with more than 2,100 performances in New York and with the presentation of the play in 200 cities throughout the country, it already has paid for more than 47,800 pounds of turnips.

stage throughout the engagement of "Tobacco Road" at the Wright Auditorium, starting next Monday night, February 27. Ground cloths and tankard were tried during the first rehearsals of "Tobacco Road" but Jack Kirkland, the author and producer, decided realism was necessary and a hurry call was sent to Georgia, the locale of the story to get the right kind of earth. The first five tons being shipped by fast freight.

All the earth sifted so that members of the cast, many of whom go barefoot throughout the play, will

AFTER THE BRAWL WAS OVER!



Severely beaten by German-American bund "storm troopers" when he leaped on the stage and advanced on National Bund leader Fritz Kuhn during a rally of his organization at New York's Madison Sq. Garden, Isadore Greenbaum, 26, here is shown as he was removed from the garden by police. Greenbaum started toward Kuhn as the latter neared the conclusion of a tirade against "International Jewry" and the troopers manhandled him before police could rescue him.

Guns Are Now Booming In Battle Over Wage, Hours

Raleigh, Feb. 22—Today's session of the General Assembly in Charlotte brings a lull in heavy firing on the Wage-Hour bill front, after first guns of a campaign which promises one of the bitterest of the session started booming yesterday.

Forces of labor and advocates of a wage-hour bill for the State comparable to the Federal statute more or less took to their dugouts as hotel and cafe operators and representatives of retail furniture dealers opened up with a verbal barrage directed at the proposal, sponsored by the State Department of Labor, that minimum wages in such establishments be 25 cents an

every similar occasion since it was a question of prohibiting the employment of 9-year olds in cotton mills.

The bill—there are two of them, one putting the state wage-hour regulations on a par with the Federal law, the other not quite so drastic—were pictured as provocative of endless complaints to the Department of Labor and as tending to promote strikes and even racial disorders.

Yesterday's hearings were the first in a long line which will follow. Last week Mr. Vogler said that no less than nine employer units had at that time asked to be heard on the measure, while others were expected at any time.

On the other hand, the laborites haven't the slightest idea of taking anything lying down and when opponents of the measures have had their say, proponents are going to get their day in court.

In preparation for this counter-swing, Salisbury's C. A. Fink, president of the State Federation of Labor, is planning to have every section of the state represented when Labor's side of the picture is painted.

"They're coming from the mountains to the sea," he told your correspondent today. "I don't mean that we plan any wide open mass demonstration or mob hearing. We will be represented by chosen representatives from every section and if every form of industry to be covered by a state wage-hour bill."

All previous legislative history indicates that this wage-hour controversy will be as sharp and acrimonious as every previous labor-employer controversy has been.

There has developed and is still being developed the hottest kind of opposition to the bill, though it is likely that the opposition's strategy will not be to kill it frankly and outright. Instead, there will likely be adopted the well known and often effective strategy of emasculating it to the point of utter innocuousness.

Two years ago the 55-Hour or so called "Maximum Hour" bill was similarly treated, although labor claimed some advance in its enactment in any form, however weakened.

The same thing is probably going to happen this time. Some kind of Wage-Hour bill will be passed, though it may be so altered that even its best friends won't know it.

At one and the same time, it will undoubtedly be some advance for labor—history teaches that each successive measure enacted in North Carolina has been just that.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Windsor King this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to file them with the undersigned within twelve months of this date or this notice will be in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate settlement.

This the 30th day of Nov. 1938. W. H. HARPER, Administrator of Windsor King. Vanceboro, N. C., Route No. 1. Jan. 18-19-6w.

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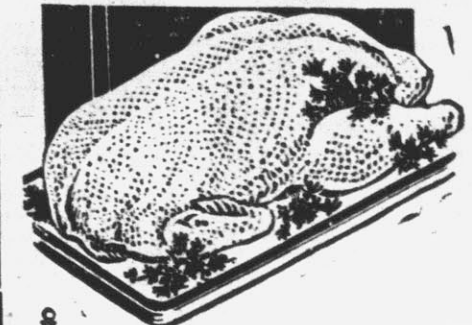
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RIVER PROJECT ASSURED

Announcement that bids on the Tar River project are to be let early in March is indeed a tribute to a small group of local citizens and business men who refused to give up the fight against apparently unsurmountable obstacles. These men long ago realized the need of water transportation with its resultant benefits in the way of cheaper freight rates for this section, and despite the fact that their proposal for deepening the river was turned down several times, they continued their fight. According to present plans the project should be completed next fall and water transportation to Greenville will become a reality. What-ever benefit this section may desire from the project the credit will go to that small group of men who would not give up.

WHAT ABOUT BUSINESS?

The legislative committee has before it the Wage and Hours bill and hearings will continue probably through next week. While we do not believe that businesses and employers should be permitted to exploit labor and use it without giving a fair return for services rendered, we do know that the continued efforts to regulate and "hamstring" business is doing more harm than good. As a result of Social Security, Unemployment Compensation and other costly regulations that have been placed on business together with the greatly increased costs of record keeping for perusal of one kind of federal or state inspector after another, many businesses are becoming unprofitable and cannot continue to carry the burdens that have been placed upon them.

We repeat that labor should have a fair return but we believe it is about time that something was likewise done to lighten the unnecessary burdens being placed on business and industry. A continuation of the present trend in the way of excessive tax burdens and increased operating costs in the end will mean that there will be but few businesses able to stay open and pay any wages at all.

Lots Of Courtesies Asked in Both Houses

Raleigh, Feb. 22—Whether the legislators are for or against diversion, they are for "stand in" with the highway commission. After a dozen or more members had asked "courtesies" of the galleries for folks from their home counties, Ira T. Johnson of Ashe asked: "Mr. Speaker, not many people from Ashe county ever get down here but I see in the lobby the highway commissioner of my district, and I would like to have a whole lot of courtesies shown to him." Mr. Roper of Lincoln was quick to get the floor: "My commissioner's name is— and I want him to have

THREE PICTURES FROM SPAIN CATCH WAR DRAMA AT HEIGHT

These three photographs were taken in Spain, where the civil war apparently is nearing its end. They tell you little about the war, but they are probably the most dramatic pictures it has produced. It will be a fortunate cameraman who gets anything better as the Loyalists make their last stand in Central Spain.



THE GENERAL DIED AT DAWN under the guns of his own men. He's the bespectacled Colonel Cueva Loyalist, shown trying to explain how he led his men into a deadly trap near Madrid. But he couldn't talk himself free.



SURVIVAL OF FITTEST looks like the rule here. After insurgents took hungry Barcelona, they distributed bread. This old man holds his loaf behind him as he trades words with a hungry young woman.



BROTHER'S KEEPER The helm-tied young insurgent found his brother (in bereft) machine with prisoners of war taken at Tarragona. Swords were cast aside and even a fellow-prisoner is happy at the little moment of truce.

Washington Daybook

By Preston Grover

Washington—The question of "stand in" with the highway commission is a hot topic in the Senate today. The question is whether the highway commission should be allowed to "stand in" with the highway commission. The question is whether the highway commission should be allowed to "stand in" with the highway commission.

They are Borah of Idaho and Johnson of California. The Borah Johnson-Loyalists have been trying to get out of the administration to learn whether any kind of commitment has been made or implied that would compel the United States to come to the aid of France and England in event of war.

Publicly they have been told that no such commitments exist and that the agreement by which France and England are to buy planes here is simply a commercial transaction. From behind closed doors the White House and the Senate Military Affairs committee have come intimations that more was intended.

Johnson In Form
"Do you not think the American people with their experience of the past 20 years should be informed," asked Senator Johnson, "if their rulers are going to take them even to the brink of war?"
The Californian whose bronze face is set out like a cameo under his parted crop of white hair, was bristling with indignation.
Not since the post-World War days when he swung a stout club

SHORT SHOTS

By HENRY AVERILL and LYNN NISBET

Raleigh, Feb. 22—Judiciary Committee No. 2 of the House stepped out a day in advance of Washington's birthday and wielded a hatchet very vigorously—not on a cherry tree as did the W. K. father of his country, but on a whole batch of proposed North Carolina law.

"Not even a France firing squad could execute as quickly and often as that bunch," remarked Wake's Bill Hatch, who is chairman of Judiciary 1, rather enviously.

Among measures getting their death blows from J-2 were Attorney General McMullan's "character" bill which would have allowed the State to introduce the bad reputation of a defendant in all criminal cases involving moral turpitude, and the Roper bill designed to place all North Carolina registers of deeds on a four-year term of office basis.

Committees have reported so few important statewide bills and the membership has handled the local ones with such dispatch that there wasn't even a public calendar for the House to take at its Tuesday session.

As a result the Representatives beat their comrades in the Senate to adjournment by nearly an hour. Almost the first time such a thing has happened this session.

Ira Johnson of Ashe pulled off a Republican Monday night by getting a "sneak" bill under a misleading title through the House under rule suspension. It would make the county welfare superintendent elective by the Democratic welfare board instead of by the Republican county commissioners.

There followed a lot of criticism, and so on Tuesday the Ashe Representative asked that the bill be recalled from the Senate and sent to a committee. He still insists, however, that "it is a good bill and ought to pass."

One of the relatively few lawyers in the senate, Senator Ballentine of Wake has introduced more bills to amend the consolidated statutes than any lawyer in that body. He has dropped four such bills in the house yesterday. Along with them was another authorizing the state to reimburse Dr. Royster of Raleigh for money which he paid in compromise of law suit against him for a sterilization operation in 1932. The operation was performed for the state welfare department, under a law that was later ruled out. No suit could be maintained against the state, so action was brought against the doctor. The bill would reimburse to him the \$750 he paid to settle it.

The Charlotte trip today has upset committee schedules. There are a number of committees with bills needing attention, but there isn't much chance for a meeting on the train. So they go over. Several bills in the banking committee of the senate were to be aired at public hearings, but due to conflict of other meetings Wednesday and Thursday this committee will hold no sessions this week.

North Carolina's only "round town" is to remain round, for a while at least. The bill extending the limits of the town of Mars Hill, which is now a perfect circle, was given an unfavorable report. It wasn't the shape of the town that killed it, however, but the fact that Mars Hill is now the only town in thoroughfare Republican Madison county with a Democratic Board of Aldermen, and the new charter provided for "non-partisan" elections. The few Democrats in Madison take their politics with extreme seriousness and they fired a half bushel of telegrams to the committee asking that the bill be reported unfavorably.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

The partnership heretofore existing between C. T. Oakley of Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina, and DeWitt C. Phillips of Greenville, North Carolina, doing business under the firm name and style of Greenville Furniture Exchange, located at 812 Dickinson Avenue, Greenville, North Carolina, was dissolved on the 27th day of July, 1938, in accordance with Section 12 of the Articles of Co-partnership entered into by the aforesaid partners and in accordance with Chapter 64 of the Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina, and this is to give notice to all persons that the said DeWitt C. Phillips is no longer connected with the said partnership, and will not be liable for any contracts, agreements, obligations or debts of the said partnership and that he has no relation to any business that may hereafter be transacted by the said Greenville Furniture Exchange, located at the aforesaid address.

This 2nd day of February, 1939.
DEWITT C. PHILLIPS.

Feb. 3-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF ADVERTISEMENT OF SALE OF LAND FOR NON-PAYMENT OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

In The Superior Court, North Carolina—Pitt County.
-vs.-
Mt. Hermon Masonic Lodge
By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court made in the above entitled cause on January 30, 1939, the undersigned, a commissioner appointed for the purposes therein named (it being a suit

shoulder to shoulder, resuming partnership after their friendship had grown cold over political matters. It might be the last battle for either of them—such are the tolls of time—but they could make it a paper.

Beginning at an iron stake, corner of Gorham land, thence running South 98-15, East 577 feet to the run of Otter's Creek; thence down the run of Otter's Creek to an iron stake on the run where the branch enters the creek; thence up the various courses of the branch to a point marked letter A on the map in said division; thence South 2-20 West 684 feet to the fork of a ditch in the field; thence 1-30 West 1061 feet to the beginning; containing 72 2-9 acres, more or less, being the share of the Mathews land allotted to J. M. Edwards.

The foregoing being the identical land conveyed to the said Nola Elizabeth Lewis by Mary K. Fountain, by deed recorded in Book P-21, page 459 of the Pitt County Reg-

istry, to which deed reference is hereby made for a more particular description.

Also 1 Nissen wagon, purchased this day by the parties of the first part from the party of the third part.

This 24th day of Jan., 1939.
GEORGE M. FOUNTAIN, Jr., Trustee.

Jan. 24-1tw-4wk.

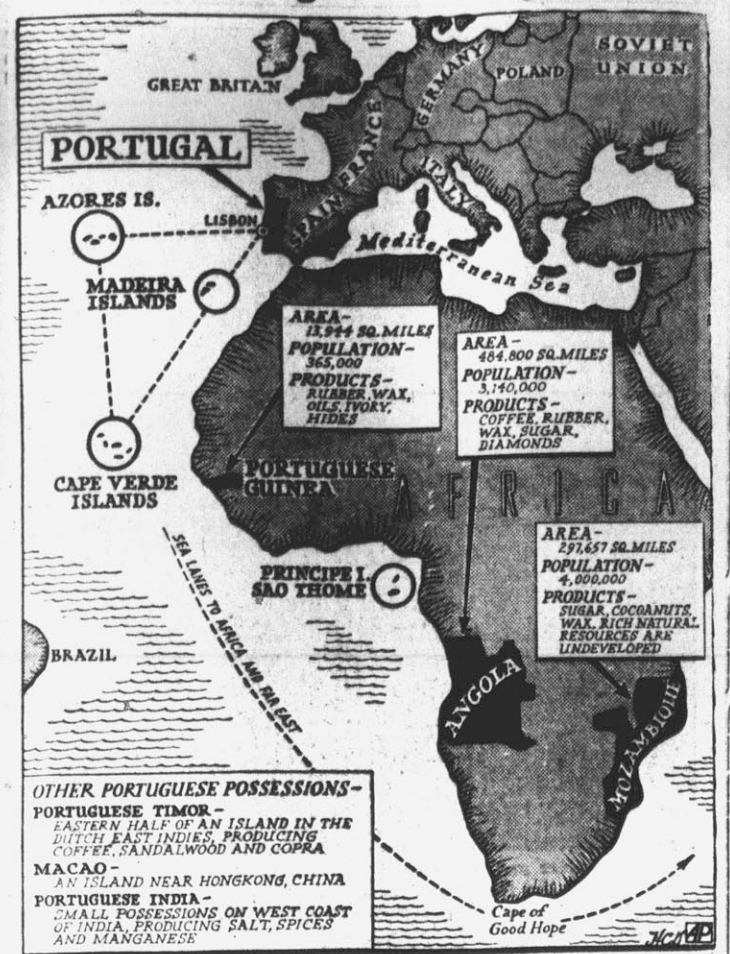
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR PARTITION
UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF an Order of Resale signed by His Honor, J. P. Harrington, Clerk of Superior Court of Pitt County, on the 4th day of February, 1939, in that certain Partition Proceeding, entitled "Ella M. Jones and husband, R. A. Jones, W. C. Worsley and wife, Pearl Worsley, et al. vs. Mollie Worsley, J. O. Worsley and wife, Letha Worsley, et al." the undersigned Commissioner will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Greenville, North Carolina, on Tuesday, 21st day of February, 1939 at twelve o'clock, noon the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying, being and situate in the Town of Bethel, N. C.
BEGINNING at Tom Jenkins' corner on the north side of Church Street, runs north parallel with Main Street to the back line of said Tom Jenkins; thence in an easterly direction along said back line to the Andrews heirs' line; thence in a northerly direction parallel with Main Street and along the line of Dr. Rives et al to the line of Mrs. Willie Daniel; thence in a westerly direction and along the line of Mrs. Willie Daniel to a corner; thence in a northerly direction along the line of Mrs. Daniel to the line of Mrs. Beverly's line; thence in a westerly direction and along the B. F. Beverly line to James Street; thence in a southerly direction along the line of James Street to Mrs. Annie Andrews' line; thence in an easterly direction parallel with Church Street along Mrs. Annie Andrews' line to Church Street; thence in an easterly direction along Church Street to the beginning, and being the same land conveyed to Nancy Worsley by F. S. Royster, Commissioner, by deed dated December 22, 1899, of record in Book V-7, page 38 of the Pitt County Registry, form of the A. A. James property, and containing two (2) acres, more or less.

This 4th day of February, 1939.
M. K. BLOUNT, Commissioner.

Feb. 7-1tw-2wk.

Portugal Puts Aside Rebuilding Job To Get Set Against Foreign Threats



This map shows the location of Portugal and other possessions—all pretty much on the spot in the face of recent Europe developments.

By J. P. McKNIGHT

LISBON (AP)—Portugal busy for the last ten years putting her own house in order, has begun again to look beyond her borders at the state of her neighbor's domiciles. She does not like, very much, what she sees.

The nation was rescued from near-anarchy by the army coup d'etat of 1926 and then saved from bankruptcy in 1928 by the orthodox financial methods imposed by the army's choice for head of the Treasury, Dr. Antonio de Oliveira Salazar. So it has had little time since to think about anything except its own internal reconstruction.

Recent developments in Europe, however, are seen as threats to the domestic rehabilitation the Salazar regime seeks and so have drawn the nation's attention.

Munich, with its implied disregard for small nations unable to defend themselves, the war in Spain, with its menace to the Portuguese land frontier; tension in the Mediterranean—all of these have given the Portuguese "furiously to think."

Some More Reasons.

And there are these other factors:

1. Portugal's military alliance with Great Britain, extending back more than 500 years, which—with the new challenge of Britain's dominance in continental politics—forces her to consider her position in the event international strain becomes international conflict.

2. The strategic importance of the great triangle formed by continental Portugal, the Azores, and the Cape Verde Islands in connection with the sea routes to Africa and, by way of the Cape of Good

Hope, to the East.

3. Her all-important colonial possessions in Africa, notably the rich colonies of Angola and Mozambique which, newspaper commentators have suggested to Portugal's extreme distaste, might be given to the renaissance Reich in lieu of other land.

4. Portugal's "ideological kinship" with the Italian and German regimes under the corporate set up by Salazar, as premier, and President Oscar de Fregoso Carmo-na.

5. Her weak defenses, by land and sea.

To all these matters, Salazar and his advisers have given thought. Portugal realizes that, as long as Great Britain remains mistress of the European seas, Portugal can not dispense with her ally. And moves have been made—as many emanating from the British as from the Portuguese—to strengthen that alliance. A new British Institute in Portugal is busy fostering cultural understanding. A British-Portuguese military mission has just completed 10 months of liaison work.

From the first, Salazar has envisaged the strengthening of Portuguese defenses; this year the record sum of 931,000,000 escudos (\$39,101,000) one third the national budget, will go to the army and navy.

Europe has been told, as firmly as Salazar and the nation can say it, that Portugal's African possessions are not to be touched.

But unbusiness persistence and Portugal, once again, has come to realize her destiny in inevitably linked with the destiny of the rest of Europe, although she occupies just one small corner of it.

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M. K. BLOUNT, Commissioner.

Feb. 7-1tw-2wk.

NOTICE OF RE-SALE OF LAND UNDER EXECUTION

North Carolina—Pitt County.

In The Superior Court.

Louise Tyson

-vs.-

Bettie Nichols, J. B. Nichols, Adm'r., Linwood Nichols, May Belle Joyner, Ralph Nichols, Charlie Nichols, Doris Nichols, and Nannie L. Nichols.

Pursuant to an execution issued out of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, on the 2nd day of December, 1938, and directed to the Sheriff of Pitt County in the special proceeding entitled as above, and under a judgment assessing owelty of partition therein, I will on Tuesday, the

21st day of February, 1939

at 12 o'clock, M.

before the court house door in Pitt County offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit: That certain tract of land in Beaver Dam Township, Pitt County, North Carolina, beginning at a point on Crawford Street at the southeast corner of the school house lot and running N. 39-30 W. 585 feet to the corner of Lot No. 2; thence S. 60 W. 450 feet to the line of Lot No. 4; thence S. 30 E. 450 feet to Smith Street; thence N. 83 E. 617 feet to the corner; thence northwardly with Crawford Street to the beginning, and containing 6.4 acres, and being Lot No. 3 in the division of the R. N. Nichols lands.

This sale is being made on account of bid of former sale having been raised.

This the 6th day of Feb., 1939.

J. KNOTT PROCTOR, Sheriff of Pitt County.

Feb. 7-1tw-2wk.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed in Trust executed and delivered to J. B. James, Trustee, by Malissa Evans (widow) on the 16th day of February, 1937, which said Deed in Trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County in Book Y-21, page 410, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction, before the Court House door in Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, at

12:00 o'clock, Noon, on Friday, March 24, 1939

the following described real property, to-wit:

That certain lot or parcel of land lying and being in the Town of Greenville, State of North Carolina, and in that part of town commonly known as "Little Washington," and described as follows: BEGINNING at Abram Harris' northeast corner on Bonner's Lane; thence running eastwardly with Bonner's Lane 41 feet to J. Q. Jackson's lot; thence southwardly with the Jackson and Forbes line 156 feet to a stake, known as the B. S. Sheppard line; thence with the said Sheppard's line westwardly and parallel with Bonner's Lane 41 feet to a stake; thence nearly North, parallel with Jackson and Forbes' line 156 feet to the BEGINNING on Bonner's Lane, and being the same lot conveyed to J. and L. E. Daniel by J. Q. Jackson, and wife and C. C. Forbes on June 16, 1887, said Deed being recorded in Book T-4, at page 225, and being also the same lot conveyed by Jack Lambright and wife to Amos Evans and wife, Malissa Evans, by Deed dated April 18, 1914, recorded in Book B-11, at page 124, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County.

This the 22nd day of Feb., 1939.

J. B. JAMES, Trustee.

Feb. 22-1tw-4wk.

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The Male Glee Club of State Normal School, Elizabeth City will make a tour of the state during the week of February 27th, and will appear in recital at the Colored High School in Bethel on the morning of February 27th at 10:00 a. m. That afternoon it will appear at the East Carolina Teachers College at 12:00 p. m. and at the colored high school in Greenville at 2:00 p. m.

FOUR ARE KILLED AS TORNADO HITS IN BERTIE

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Joyce Sanderlin, Ruth Mae Sanderlin Mrs. J. F. Mizelle, Mrs. E. E. Castellone, Iris Costello, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Costello, Vastha Connor, George Lawrence Gladys Connor and Whit Wilson.

Others were given first aid treatment and discharged.

MISSION TO BE BEGUN AT 7:40 P. M. TONIGHT

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The World United according to an announcement made by Rev. W. A. Ryan, pastor of the Eighth Street Christian church yesterday.

Services will be held daily except Saturday beginning tonight at 7:45 until Friday, March 3.

A number of church committees have paved the way for one of the best preaching missions ever to be held in Greenville.

Last night Mr. and Mrs. Helfer were honored at a reception given by Mrs. and Mrs. Ryan at the church parsonage. A large number of guests called during the evening to renew their acquaintance with the Mr. and Mrs. Helfer or to meet them for the first time.

Interested persons throughout the city and county are being encouraged daily to take advantage of the Helfer's valuable discussions.

SCOUTS HEARD BY CLUB...

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Grady of the troop sponsored by the American Legion; Lebrun Spence and Ben Miller of the troop sponsored by the Order of the Red Men.

Jake Hadley is the Cubmaster of the Cub, sponsored by the Episcopal church. Worth Wicker, Chas. Whedbee and Sam Dees are the officers of the Sea Scout Ship William Pili, sponsored by the Rotary Club. Mr. Thomason also said there were two colored Troops in Greenville. In Greenville there are 322 Scouts, 41 Cubs, and 12 Sea Scouts.

Executive J. V. Sigwald made some brief remarks about the value of Scouting and training youth to be men of character and trained citizens. He told how boys will do wrong when not occupied and that Scouting keeps the occupied and their energy directed in a constructive program.

Visiting Rotarians for the meeting were George Davis and Frank Williams of Farmville. Rufus Keel, vice-president of the Club presided.

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ACROSS
1. Free
2. Tablets
3. List
4. Artificial language
5. Patron saint of lawyers
6. Secret assembly
7. Look slyly
8. Other
9. Aquatic animal
10. Vegetable
11. Make into leather
12. Planet
13. Lasso
14. Prayer
15. Archaic
16. Made a scalloped edge
17. Reserved
18. Makes less, hard
19. Malt beverage
20. Lassoed
21. Property
22. Hard external coating of a seed
23. Oil of rose petals
24. Reluctantly
25. Put on
26. Chum
27. Literary fragments
28. Duty
29. Marks to restore after deleting
30. Mature measures
31. Catch up with
32. Female deer

DOWN
1. Cerebral grass
2. Pagan god
3. Puts on
4. Chum
5. Literary fragments
6. Duty
7. Marks to restore after deleting
8. Mature measures
9. Catch up with
10. Female deer

Revision, Not Balancing Of Budget Main Problem

Reflector Bureau.
By LYNN NISBET

Raleigh, Feb. 22.—The main problem confronting the General Assembly of North Carolina, is not that of finding a balance for the budget for the next biennium, but of completely revising the taxation system of the state, according to Senators Frank Gibbs of Warren and Linton Ballentine of Wake. Both are members of the appropriations committee and have indicated to impose their ideas upon the finance committees which must raise the revenue. But they are now convinced that a balanced budget is a pipe dream unless some basic changes are made in the state's fiscal policy.

"We have reached the saturation point in taxes under the existing levies," said Senator Gibbs last night. "I would like to vote for restoration of teacher pay; I am intensely interested in better library facilities; in fact, I want to see the State go forward along cultural lines rather than backward. But it would be the height of folly to vote money which we know cannot be raised."

Ballentine went a little further than his colleague. "Senator Gibbs is entirely right in his position," said the Wake county member. "Not only are we faced now with the admitted fact that the budget as recommended by the budget commission will be out balance to the amount of seven million dollars unless we dip into taxes other than those in the general fund, but we are confronted with the practical certainty that this policy will leave the state two years from now in such condition that even diversion of millions of highway money will not effect a balance."

Both senators were reticent about suggesting new sources of revenue at this time, while the finance committee is working on the problem, but they did call attention to one or two facts.

"The people of North Carolina by their vote authorized the levy of income taxes up to ten per cent of the taxpayers net income," said Ballentine. "That is more than they have done for the sales tax or for some of the other levies we are making." He further favors increasing the taxes on certain patent

BOTH PARTIES BEAT HASTY RETREATS

Anchorage, Alaska (AP)—When Nick Lane, roadhouse operator at Peters Creek, heard a posse in a shed he thought it was a neighbor helping himself to moose meat.

Lane rushed into the shed in the darkness, grabbed an intruder, then he found he had a hand full of fur from a large and active brown bear.

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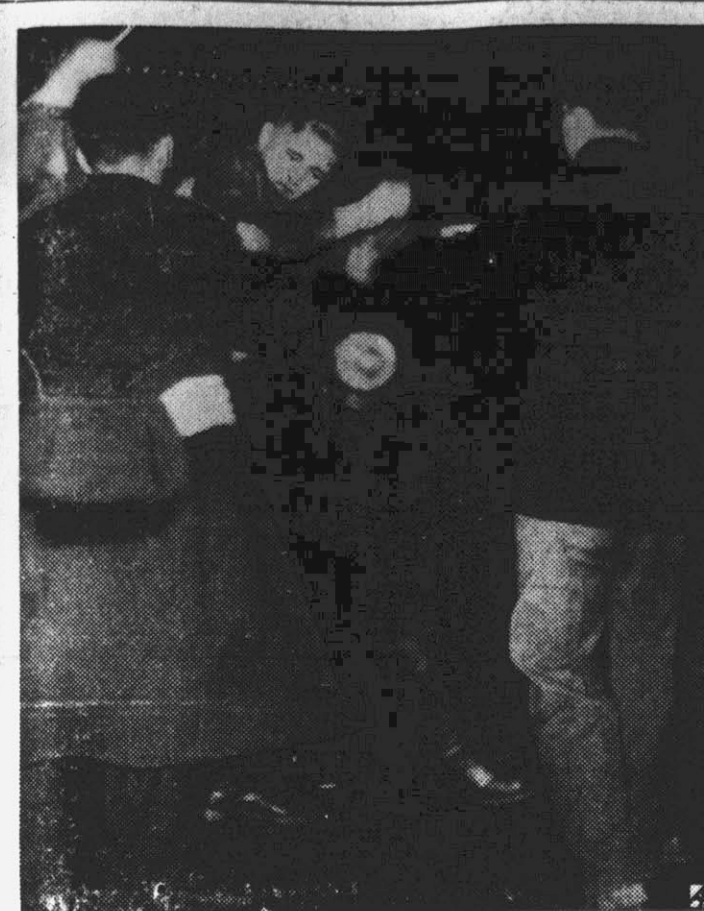
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ANTI-NAZIS BEAT STORM TROOPER



Outside Madison Square Garden in New York, where the German-American Bund staged a rally, this unidentified "storm trooper" of the organization got a dose of the "medicine" some of his fellow troopers gave Isadore Greenbaum 26, inside the building during the meeting. He is shown being set upon by anti-Nazi as he left the Garden after the rally.

ELECTION LAW NO VIOLATION ACTION ASKED OF LAW FOUND

Show-Down Demanded at Meeting on Thursday

Raleigh, Feb. 22.—Definite and decisive action will be flatly demanded at Thursday morning's session of the House Committee on Elections and Election Laws, with Chairman George Phillips pressing hard for quick report to the floor of a bill embodying all the principal features of the reforms "suggested" by the State Board of Elections.

Piercing fighting of the meeting will rage around the question of applying reform to both primary and general elections as opposed to the proposition to abolish the absentee ballot entirely in primaries and retain it for use in general elections.

Chairman Phillips is known to the definitely committed to retention of the absentee, with manifold safeguards, in all kinds of elections and it is considered certain that he will tomorrow propose to the full committee what may be intricately named a "substitute for the substitute proposed by the sub-committee."

Which will mean simply this—Phillips will propose a bill designed to retain the absentee ballot in both primaries and general elections, with many changes in the existing rules and regulations regarding absentee voting. The subcommittee, on the other hand has already recommended to the whole committee that the absentee be abolished for primaries and retained for general elections.

The clash between these views is sure to be keen and its result close, though some observers profess to see a trend among committee members toward the Phillips views, which coincide with those of Frank Taylor, Wayne representative on the subcommittee who marshaled three votes against the four cast for the views urged by Cleveland's Odus M. Mull, a former Democratic state chairman.

There are 35 members of the full committee, and a margin of more than one or two votes either way would not be in the least surprising.

There has been powerful pressure exerted in almost every direction on the election reform bills. Reliable reports have it that

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strenuous efforts have been made to "soften up" Mr. Mull and to win him over to the principle of keeping the absentee in both general and primary elections.

The Governor has been consulted about the proposed reform and there are indications in some quarters that he reached more favorably to the Phillips-Taylor point of view than to the opinions held and expressed in the Mull camp. These indications, however, are not of the sort termed "unimpeachable" and have neither been confirmed nor denied by Mr. Hoey, who has been as silent as the tomb on election law reform since his first message to the General Assembly.

At all events, there is one of the hottest battles of the year being waged on all election reform fronts.

There are clear signs that provisions for a complete new registration and for abolishing the wholesale use of markers will be adopted in some form or other, though there are undoubtedly those who would take an unusual pleasure in sabotaging any and all election law reforms.

It has reached the point, however, where it is extremely hard to tell who are real reformers and who are not, so confused have become the battle lines and so unusual the lineup of the opposing forces.

For instance, those who favor the Phillips-Taylor ideas contend they are the true reformers, though lined up with them, for the moment at least, are some of the obstructionists who do not want any reform at all if it can help it.

On the other side are to be found such a rampant reformer as Lacy McBryde, who would like to toss all absentee voting into the ash can, allied temporarily with Mr. Mull, who is charged by his opposition with wanting to keep the absentee in general elections in order to steal from Republicans.

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velopment, and of C. D. Baucum, head of the division of weights and measures, Department of Agriculture, that this company has been "chiseling" in violation of state rules requiring use of a pulpwood unit of 160 cubic feet.

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